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Our Prices are Made
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THE HAMMOCK SEASON

Is here. Our splendid line is ready for your inspection. The little people enjoy them; there is solid comfort in them for you.

Quality better, prices lower than ever. Our leader at 93c is a regular \$1.25 hammock. Specials at \$1.39, \$1.69, \$1.98 and up, all underpriced. Others like them so will you.

OIL STOVES

Are economical and handy. We sell a fine one burner at 39c, and our two burner at 75c, are the best value you ever saw. If you want good ones get these.

In our Grocery Department you will find many extra good values this week. Don't wait until they are closed.

BERT SMALL,
MORRISVILLE

Down at the wrong end, but all right.

YOU ARE SURELY MISSING IT

When you buy your Spring and Summer Goods before seeing ours. Negligee Shirts are proper in any weather. We've plenty of pretty patterns.

Union Suits for both Men and Women. In fact, everything in

UNDERWEAR . . .

Neckwear and Hosiery in the newest styles. Do not delay in making your selections.

NOYES G. WOOD,

Corner Store, Hyde Park, Vt.

DON'T THINK

Because the weather bureau has been so unkind we are not going to have hot weather; it is sure to come—probably come sudden. Now don't be a foolish virgin but be prepared. One of the first things you will need is a

STRAW HAT

We are always headquarters, and more so than ever this year. We have them in all grades and styles from the cheap harvest to the light, easy stylish Porto Rico, fine or coarse straw, Ping Pong Alpines and the staple shapes.

SHIRT WAISTS

Cool and comfortable Hosiery, Underwear, Gloves, etc. Don't miss calling on us for your summer furnishings.

O. M. WATERMAN,

STORE IN THE RANDALL,
MORRISVILLE, VT.

We carry a full line of Ladies' rainy-day
P. K., Linen & Duck Skirts

LAWN WRAPPERS and TWO-PIECE SUITS.
UNDERWEAR—Union Suits for Men, Women and Children.

JUST RECEIVED—Some more of those No. 556
One Dollar Shirt Waists.

STRONG & FOSS, Hyde Park, Vt.

IT'S DRINKING TIME

Don't wait until you're thirsty. Thirst isn't necessary for the enjoyment of our soda. Extra good soda is good any time. There's satisfaction enough in its deliciousness.

Our soda isn't ordinary soda, it isn't made from ordinary materials. It's the kind of soda that requires the best grade of fountain supplies, lots of ice, skill and conscience in the making. It's the kind that affords little profits and makes friends.

HALL & CHENEY,

PHARMACISTS,
Brick Block, Cor. Main and Portland St.
MORRISVILLE, VT.

WE ARE TOLD

That we have the best fruit display in this part of the state, equalled by few in Burlington. That pleases us. But we are here to please you, and everything imaginable in fruit and groceries are here for that purpose. Prices as low as the lowest.

J. S. BANISTER,
MORRISVILLE, VT.

PARKER HOUSE ROLLS

Tuesdays and Thursdays
Orders must be in for these goods in the morning.
Webster's Home-Made Bread is growing in popularity. Once a customer always a customer.

E. W. WEBSTER,
City Bakery,
MORRISVILLE.

WANTED—SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITORS, whose rate of interest on their savings is about to be reduced, to send for a booklet, "About Ourselves," giving our plan that realizes on investments recommended by us, not less than 8 to 12 per cent. per annum. It is absolutely safe, with the principal substantially guaranteed against loss. DOUGLAS, LACEY & CO., Hartford, Conn.

MORRISTOWN.

Daniel Prince was at H. M. Day's last week. Frank Cross has been painting for H. S. Keeler.

Mrs. Milo Shippey visited Morrisville last Thursday.

Mr. McNally and sons are visiting at Charles Wells.

Gertrude McNally goes soon to Massachusetts to live with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Thomas visited at E. Douglas' Wednesday of last week.

Mr. A. B. Smith attended the funeral of Uncle Sabin Scott at Eden last week.

Amos Stone and his sister Stella went to Hardwick, Friday, returning Saturday.

Clarence Day spent Sunday with his friends returning to his work in Stowe at night.

Mrs. T. R. Bottis and Mrs. Hattie Muzzy left last week for a week or ten days visit in Montpelier and Watfield.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Atwood, who has been ill some time, was held Friday afternoon. She was at her late home Friday afternoon. She was the widow of the late George Atwood and leaves a daughter, Miss Emily Atwood and one brother, Orson Chaffee.

ELMORE.

A large number of Elmore people are at County Court.

Miss Edie Butler of Morrisville was at W. N. Sillway's over Sunday.

G. M. Ainsworth and wife visited his parents and friends over Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Woolcott and children went to Calais Saturday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Remembrance of the phonograph entertainment at town hall Friday evening if the weather is favorable if not it will be Saturday night. A promenade will follow.

About sixty friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peo last Friday night and gave them a surprise. A small sum of money was left, besides quite a number of presents. Ice cream and cake were served and everyone reported a good time.

At the Republican caucus last Saturday B. F. Morse was elected chairman. The delegates to the County Convention are: B. F. Morse, Clinton Spaulding, Henry Parker, W. S. Sillway, Fred Churchill, H. L. Delano.

Delegates authorized to fill vacancies. The Town Committee are H. C. Parker, Fred Churchill, and Geo. Bryant.

GARFIELD.

A. B. Pense of Hyde Park is clerking for C. B. Swift.

James Withers of Craftsbury was in town recently.

N. H. Hull and family visited in East Craftsbury recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Munson visited in East Johnson last week.

Grant Jackson, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now somewhat better.

Lucius Shepard and bride of Belvidere were at the home of Edward Davis the first of the week.

Ernest Butterfield has finished work for C. B. Swift and will soon move to Hyde Park, where he has employment.

Willard Hastings and Gertrude Jackson were united in marriage Wednesday, June 4, by Rev. L. P. Booth of Morrisville.

The "Band" has given two interesting concerts during the past week. Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hastings were entertained by its charming music and "early Monday morning" this entertainment was repeated for the benefit of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Shepard.

EDEN.

Frank Baker is building a new barn.

Mrs. Martin Shattuck attended the conference in Waterville last Tuesday.

Children's Day service to be held with the Mill Sunday School, Sunday, the 15th inst.

Annual meeting of Ladies' Aid Society, at the church, Thursday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. D. S. Scott of Johnson has been spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. F. H. Raymore.

A special Town meeting is called for Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock the 20th inst. Look for the warning.

Capt. and Mrs. C. W. Blake, started for Montpelier Monday to attend the G. A. R. Encampment.

Mrs. B. B. and Mrs. N. D. Blake attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Johnson Wednesday and Thursday.

Clayton Whitcomb of North Hyde Park and Sadie Emory from this town were married the past week. Miner says they were married at Albany.

It is proposed to give the band a little aid financially and its friends have called a promenade for Friday evening the 20th. Remember the date and the purpose.

The N. E. A. M. & Co., are setting the telephone poles from the mines to the Corners. They expect soon to talk with the outside world, or rather the world below the clouds.

Eden Cornet Band held its first meeting for the season Saturday evening. The program to meet every Saturday eve. There is good material for a band here, all they need is practice.

The funeral of Mrs. Richards was largely attended Thursday afternoon. Rev. M. S. Eldy of Morrisville officiated. She leaves one son, children, Charles of Cambridge; Frank, of Lowell; Austin, of Johnson; Eugene and Will of this town, also Mrs. Henry Adams and Mrs. Ora Petrie who reside here.

CARD OF THANKS.—We wish to thank the friends who so kindly assisted on the death and burial of our dear mother also the singers and those who furnished flowers. May Heaven's choicest blessings be theirs, is the wish of her children and their families, Chas. Richards, Mrs. H. H. Adams, Frank Richards, Austin Richards, Eugene Richards, Will Richards, Anna Richards.

CAMBRIDGE.

John Brown is visiting his son Emerson, in Hardwick.

Ralph Smille of Morrisville, is painting for E. W. Pateh.

Rev. Edwin Wheelock went to Bakersfield last week Wednesday to officiate at a funeral.

Mrs. Ralph Mudgett and children visited in St. Albans last week. Mr. Mudgett was home over Sunday.

Rev. A. G. Mohr is attending the State Convention of Congregational churches in Springfield this week.

Charles Covey and Dorris Willey are home from the People's Academy at Morrisville for their summer vacation.

H. A. Darling of White River, lineaman for the Western Union Telegraph Co., is resetting the poles and putting the wire in first class condition.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hastings, who have been passing the honeymoon in town, expect to start Monday for their home in Fort Dodge, Iowa.

The regular monthly union service was held at the Congregational church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The topic was "How the Weak Become Strong."

Mrs. Wheelock, Mrs. Hinds, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. McClure, Mrs. C. S. Cornell and Mrs. S. M. Safford attended the county W. C. T. U. convention at Johnson last Thursday and Friday.

It was a rainy day Sunday but the attendance, especially of the children, was good and exercises good also, at both churches. The sermon by Mr. Mohr was a "swarm of bees."

"Be courteous, be kind, be diligent, be steadfast and be holy," was the very interesting. The duet by Mary Parker and Ethel French was well rendered and the singing by the children good. The union C. E. meeting at the Cong'l church Sunday evening was led by Rev. E. L. M. Barnes. Not as many out as usual on account of the storm, but a good meeting.

Meeting of Universalists.

The Central Association of Universalists held here last week proved to be a very pleasant and profitable occasion. The gathering was not large, owing to the fact that Morrisville is situated at one side of the territory included in the limits of the association, and therefore all who attended the meeting had to come from a considerable distance and were at considerable expense to get here. Besides, the season is a very busy one, and well filled with the gatherings of organizations of almost all kinds. And then again, politics has engrossed the attention of people of late quite as much as religion.

The first session of the association was held Thursday afternoon, and opened with prayer by Rev. H. A. Abbott of Girard, Penn., who will be remembered as a recent pastor of the Universalist church at Stowe. Then came the organization of the Council which consisted of the usual formalities of the organization of all such bodies. Rev. Dr. Booth welcomed the association to Morrisville in a felicitous little address in behalf of his church, to which I. N. LeBarron, president of the association, heartily responded in behalf of that body.

Rev. Walter Dole of Northfield then gave a most admirable address upon "A More Earnest Consecration, the great need of Vermont church." It was an address replete with noble thoughts, and one long to be remembered by all who heard it. A solo by Miss Alice Gile followed the address, and was finely rendered.

Rev. D. Ball of Belows Falls, State Superintendent of Churches, then spoke on the subject, "Light on the Way." The address was practically a report of the condition of the churches of the denomination throughout the state and showed them to be in a very healthy condition.

Mrs. Walter Churchill followed the address by a solo in her inimitable way. The subject, "Why the Young Should Interest themselves in Religion," proved a fruitful and interesting theme for a discourse by the Rev. F. R. Gale of Stowe.

Rev. Grant VanBlarcom of Washington, Vt., then gave a very spirited and interesting talk upon "Some of the Essentials of the Growing Church."

At 7:30 p. m., after a brief praise service led by the choir, Rev. J. E. Wright of Montpelier gave a very interesting account of his recent visit and few days stay upon the island of Martinique.

Rev. Edie K. M. Jones of Barre, preacher of the Association sermon, was the last speaker of the day. Her theme, "The Power for Good in the World of a Consecrated Body of Men and Women," was handled in a masterly manner and left a deep impression upon all who heard it.

Friday morning the first in order was the report of parishes in the limits of the Association. These showed an increase along all lines during the past year. These reports were followed by reports of committees and the election of officers for the ensuing year.

After an anthem from the choir, Hon. L. C. Moody of Waterbury read a very instructive and interesting paper on "The Layman's side of the Church Question." He showed that the pulpit and the pew must work together if the greatest good to the greatest number was to come through the work of the church. That the people had not done their whole duty when they paid the minister his salary, even though they paid it promptly; it was as much their duty to attend church as to pay the minister.

Rev. Francis Kimball of Williams-town said some most excellent things in a paper on "The Needs of the Small Sunday Schools." Parents should go with, not send, their children to the Sunday school. Teachers should thoroughly prepare and faithfully consecrate themselves to the work. The teacher as well as the taught would thus be mutually benefited.

Rev. Walter Dale in a brief but beautiful address gave an account of the origin and intended use of communion, hymn, after a solo, "My Mother, Hymn," touching rendered by Miss Brenda Harris, the communion was celebrated.

At the opening of the afternoon services, the report of the Committee on Resolutions, tending the thanks of the Association to the people of Morrisville for their generous hospitality, and to the ladies of the church for their abundant provision for all material wants. The business of the meeting was then declared closed.

Mrs. Maria Tinker, President of the Woman's Centenary Association of Vermont, gave an account of the doings of the association, and of her trip to the National Association at Albany.

Rev. Chas. Petty, Sec'y of the State Y. P. C. U., being present and called upon gave a very spirited and timely address upon the condition, need and prospects of that organization and the duties of local Y. P. C. U. in their relation to it.

The closing address was by the Rev. A. F. Welch of St. Johnsbury on the "Origin and Growth of the Doctrines of Universalism." It was a thoughtful, timely and masterly presentation of the subject, which is now the all absorbing one of the church. Is Universalism a truth that has come to stay?

This closed the services of the meeting, and all who attended declared it, if not in size, one in spirit and aim such as would do credit to any organization of whatever kind or name. The ladies of the church deserve much credit for the way and manner

they so royally entertained their guests. And also the choir and those who aided in the singing.

Church Notes.

Rev. Franklin Barker of Jackson, Me., will supply the pulpit at the Congregational church for the next two Sundays.

Rev. M. S. Eldy will preach next Sunday morning from a text found in Matthew 6: 11, "Give us this day our daily bread."

Rev. Chas. Lovell, who has supplied at the Congregational church for the past two Sundays, returned to his home in Keene, N. H., Monday.

Mrs. Frank B. Clark of Portland, Me., national organizer for the W. H. M. S. occupied the pulpit at the M. E. church last Sunday morning. She gave a fine address along the line of that society.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Methodist vestry next Tuesday, June 17, at 2:30 p. m. This will be observed as Flower Mission Day and the superintendents ask each one to bring flowers or articles useful in the sick room. A report of the County Convention at Johnson will be given.

CADY'S FALLS.

Gertrude Warren is visiting in Calais. Byron Davis has been a recent guest at S. C. Towne's.

Everett and Frank Calkins are spending the week in Centerville.

S. C. Towne is doing mason work on the Drowne block in Morrisville.

C. B. Terrill and wife and A. Calkins and wife are in Greensboro fishing.

Addison Cheney spent Sunday in Hardwick, the guest of Mrs. M. J. Murphy.

Erwin Lilley and family spent Sunday in Hyde Park, the guest of L. Sawyer.

Mrs. Austin Wilkins attended the Universalist Convention at Morrisville last week.

The men were scarce on our street Saturday afternoon. All over to Morrisville attending the census.

Barney Rooney has completed a fine veranda for Austin Wilkins. Perry Foster will soon commence to paint the buildings.

Clara, Clyde and Alva Little of Woodbury and Henry Powers of Barre were guests at the home of Will Tilton over Sunday.

There will be a dance at the village hall Friday evening, the 13th. Paul's orchestra will furnish music. Fall bill 35 cents, including horses put up.

Fred Waterbury came out Monday morning with an unusually broad grin, which was accounted for by the report of the birth of a boy that morning.

BELVIDERE.

Read this paper for all news.

Lucius Shepard of Hyde Park and Waltha Eldred of Belvidere called on Esq. Davis June 6th and were married.

Ruben Reynolds cut his hand on the butting saw at Stevens mill. Dr. Maurice dressed it and it is doing well.

Frank Burns has returned from Rutland where he has been for three months foresting fish from Allen Mann's cart last Winter. We hope it done him good.

What is our Road Commissioner doing? The roads are in bad shape and travelers are finding fault, and we can't blame them. Davis, the peddler, has his cart loaded with crockery and glass, tin and notions.

Geo. P. Drowne & Co.

At The Big Store

Now is the time of the year when it's a case of hustle all the time in our line of business. Notwithstanding the additional business we guarantee prompt and courteous attention to all customers. Everybody attends strictly to business at the Big Store.



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We have yet to learn of a dissatisfied customer who has bought a W. B. Corset. Each pair sold sells another. We have these corsets in four different styles. We are also agents for the R. & G. Royal Worcester and Cresco corsets; also Ferris and Jackson Waists. We will be glad to procure any other style you may ask for.

Interesting Millinery

Interesting, because you can save money, and nobody objects to saving money. Interesting, because you get an exceptionally good hat at an exceptionally low price. Hats trimmed in our own work room, with the best of material and workmanship. This means hats that will wear. Wouldn't you like to wear the noblest hat this season you ever wore? If so come to us for it. We can also make your last season's hat look better than when new. Think it over.

Summer Underwear

Got to shed the heavy woollens soon. Got to buy something to replace them for warm weather wear. We'll try to prove to you that you ought to buy your light weight underwear here. Call and see.

SHOES

The large shoe business done here is due to the fact that the best shoes, best styles, best assortment is here at the lowest prices.

PATRICIAN HEADQUARTERS.



There are two kinds of shoes, Patrician and the rest of them. No other footwear has the fineness of finish and fit or material that Patricians have, at any price. Made to suit the most refined tastes and the most sensitive feet, in many styles of boots or Oxfords. Don't ask for your size, ask to be fitted.

Walk in and
Look Around.

Geo. P. Drowne & Co., Morrisville.



Do we sell School Hosiery?

Well, yes rather. We buy hosiery with a liberal hand knowing that we have a big trade to back us, and buying in such large quantities we are able to buy at a price which it is impossible for small stores to obtain. We make a specialty of school hosiery at the following prices, 10c pair, 2 pairs for 25c; 17c pair and 25c pair. These are absolutely the best values at the price that money can buy.

THE LADY

Who would be well dressed at small cost must exercise the greatest care in making her selection, for poor clothing is expensive at any price. The best proof that our suits are made right is that ladies of fashion and discrimination buy from us season after season. You will always find her the latest creations in Neckwear, Neck Ruffs, etc.